

Cal OES Daily Situation Report

January 31, 2019



Donner Lake , Truckee, Nevada County

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National Terrorism Advisory System



SITUATION SUMMARY

Cal OES Activation Status

State Operations Center	Inland Region EOC	Coastal Region EOC	Southern Region EOC
Normal Operations	Normal Operations	Normal Operations	Level 3

Cal OES INLAND REGION

- Nothing significant to report.

Cal OES COASTAL REGION

Panther Gap Road Slip Out, Humboldt County

A major slip out of Panther Gap Rd., PM 0.50, Humboldt County, occurred following a severe weather event. The slip out caused the closure of Panther Gap Rd. and cut off 10 residents/households from access to essential emergency services.

- Humboldt County and local volunteer fire resources are working to get supplies to residents.
- Public Health is in communication with residents with medical needs and is prepared to assist.
- Public Works is seeking to establish a detour route for residents.
- County OES is preparing the IDE today to submit to Cal OES.

Proclamation

- On 01/29/19, a Proclamation of a Local Emergency for Humboldt County was received due to the impacts of the major slip out of Panther Gap Rd. The County of Humboldt is requesting all available response and recovery assistance from the State of California and its agencies including funding under the California Disaster Assistance Act and federal Stafford Act.

Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION

Winter Storms, Southern Region

A series of storms are expected to bring rain to the Southern Region through next Tuesday. The most significant rain is expected Friday night into Saturday. It is anticipated that this storm could be at or above burn scar thresholds for debris flows. Cal OES Southern Region has polled their Operational Areas as to their levels of expected response and preparedness.

Activations

- Cal OES Southern Region EOC (REOC) activated at Level III on 01/31/19 at 0900 hours.
 - A Shift: 0900-1900
 - B Shift: Duty Officer

SITUATION SUMMARY

Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION (Continued)

Winter Storms, Southern Region (Continued)

Activations (Continued)

- Riverside Emergency Management Department (EMD) EOC activated at Level III on 01/31/19 at 0700 hours.
 - The EOC deactivated at 1630 hours on 01/31/19.
- City of Lake Elsinore activated at Level III.
 - A Shift: 0700-1900
- San Diego Gas and Electric (SDG&E) EOC activated at Level I to monitor system conditions.

Deployments

- 2 Emergency Services Coordinators are deployed to Riverside County EOC.

Evacuations

- Riverside County
 - Per Riverside County Sheriff's Office and Cal OES Law Branch.
 - Mandatory Evacuations were lifted, and those zones placed in Voluntary Evacuation Warning as of 01/31/19 at 1600 hours.
 - Operational Area Task Force advised the Primary Evacuation Zones will be back under Voluntary Evacuations on Friday 02/01/19 at 1700 hours, with the expectation of Mandatory Evacuations on Saturday 02/02/19 at 0700 hours.

Shelters

- Elsinore High School, 21800 Canyon Dr., Wildomar, Riverside County – Closed at 1900 hours on 01/31/19 and will reopen Friday, 02/01/19 at 1700 hours.

Animal Shelters

- San Jacinto Valley Animal Campus, 581 S. Grand Ave., San Jacinto, Riverside County (Large and Small) – Returned to normal operations.

Road Closures

- Glen Ivy - Warm Springs at Trilogy Parkway
- Rice - Mountain St. at Avocado St.; Lincoln St. at Dale Ct.
- McVicker "A" - Gateway Dr. at McVicker Canyon Rd.; Morning Dove Ct. at Sandpiper Dr.
- Laguna "A" - Laguna at Riverside Dr.
- Amarose - Amarose at Grand Ave.; Grand Ave. at Toft

School Closures

- Riverside County
 - Withrow and Rice Canyon Elementary Schools opened today, 02/01/19.

SITUATION SUMMARY

Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION (Continued)

Winter Storms, Southern Region (Continued)

Cal OES Missions

- 2019-LAW-57339: 4 California National Guard High Water Vehicles (HWV) for possible rescues in burn scar areas.

FIRE ACTIVITY

Cal OES Fire Preparedness Levels

National	Northern California	Southern California
Preparedness Level 1	Preparedness Level 1	Preparedness Level 2
	Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 2	Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 2

Please note: The National and Regional Preparedness Levels are maintained by the National Multi-Agency Coordination (MAC) Group and are separate from Cal OES activation levels.

Pre-Positioned of Resources, Potential Mud and Debris Flow Event, Riverside County ([Released](#))

- Incident Number: CAL-OES-190009
 - Per FDO, all resources have been released as of 1933 hours on 01/31/19.
 - 1 Strike Team of Local Government Engines from Riverside.
 - San Bernardino County Fire Departments (5 Type 3 Engines), 2 Type 6 engines, 2 Dispatchers, 1 OES AREP and 1 All Hazard Incident Management Team (up to 14 personnel).
 - Units are staged in the Lake Elsinore area today at 1000 hours.

Cal OES EMAC Missions

- 2018-SOC-56344:** California requested Public Assistance Coordinators to assume the role of Program Delivery Managers (PDMG) and assist Cal OES with utilizing FEMA's program delivery system.
 - 2 Public Assistance Coordinators from Louisiana are on-scene providing support in Northern California.
 - 2 Public Assistance Coordinators from Louisiana are on-scene providing support in Southern California.

MAJOR ROAD / HIGHWAY / BRIDGE CLOSURES

Major Road Closures		
Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures

Lifeline Routes:

- There are no lifeline route closures.

Non-Lifeline Routes:

- Click [here](#) for a list of current road closures.

Wildfire Closures:

- There are no wildfire closures.

Emergency Center Activations:

- There are no Emergency Center Activations.

Interactive Travel Forecast Map Based on Weather Conditions Provided by National Weather Service (Prototype)

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/wrh/travel/?wfo=mtr>



Click on the Caltrans Logo to check
current Hwy. conditions.
You can also call 1-800-427-7623 for
current Hwy. conditions.



CALIFORNIA 911 SYSTEM

CA 911 Outages		
Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages

911 Outages/Remote/Community Isolations:

- None reported

Service Interruptions:

- None reported

WEATHER OF CONCERN

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

- A strong storm system will bring periods of rain and gusty winds through Saturday, with showers, small hail, and lowering snow levels Sunday and Monday. Drier weather will return by Tuesday. Cold air remains in the Surprise Valley area, in Eastern Modoc County, and is expected to continue into Friday night. A mild Pacific storm will be moving into the forecast area with a possibility of freezing rain. If temperatures remain cold enough, an ice storm could impact the area.
- Snow and wind may result in widespread avalanche activity in the mountains, with increased danger from Friday night into Tuesday morning.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

- A significant storm will bring heavy rain and mountain snow with possibly damaging winds to the area tonight through Saturday.
 - Cooler temperatures are expected with this storm through next week. Lingering showers are likely Sunday through Tuesday.
- Winter Storm Warning has been issued for Inyo County from late tonight through Sunday morning.
- Winter Storm Watch has been issued for Ventura County Mountains and Los Angeles County Mountains excluding the Santa Monica Range from late this evening through Sunday afternoon.

Weather Advisories, Watches, and Warnings currently active in California:

- <http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca>

Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:

- <http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca&bycounty=1>

WEATHER KEY POINTS

02/01/19 - 02/07/19

Friday-Saturday

- A large storm system will bring strong winds, widespread moderate to heavy rainfall, and heavy mountain snow to the state
 - Flash flooding, mudslides, and debris flows are possible
 - Strong winds will likely cause downed trees and power outages
 - Mountain travel will be significantly impacted by snowfall, especially across the Sierra
- The heaviest precipitation across the northern half of the state will be Friday night into Saturday morning
- The heaviest precipitation for the southern half of the state will be during the daytime hours Saturday

Sunday-Tuesday

- A colder storm system will move into the state Sunday through Tuesday
 - This storm will primarily focus on the northern and central portions of the state, though southern California could also see precipitation Monday or Tuesday
 - This is expected to be the coldest storm system of the season so far for northern California, with snow levels falling to 500 feet near the California/Oregon border by Monday night; snow levels across central California will fall to 2000 feet
 - Snow could impact northern California roadways, including Interstate 5
 - Flooding and debris flows will continue to be a threat, though less than on Saturday
 - Mountain travel concerns, including across the Sierra, will continue
- Precipitation could linger into Tuesday night in some locations

Wednesday-Thursday

- Drier weather will develop for Wednesday and Thursday, with colder temperatures lingering across the state



CALIFORNIA WEATHER IMPACTS

02/01/19 - 02/07/19

<u>Hazards / Day</u>	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU
Non-Thunderstorm Damaging Winds	All Regions	All Regions	Southern Inland	Southern Inland	Southern Inland		
Snow	Coastal Mtns	All, Above 4500'	Coastal Inland, Abv 3500'	Coastal Inland, Abv 1500'	Coastal Inland, Abv 1000'		
Coastal Flooding	Coastal	Coastal	Coastal				
River Flooding		All Regions	All Regions	All Regions			
Thunderstorms (Wind / Hail / Tornadoes)		All Regions					
Fire Weather (Low Humidity / Wind / Dry Thunderstorms)							
Heat Risk							
Heavy Rain / Flash Flooding / Debris Flow	Coastal	All Regions	All Regions	All Regions	All Regions		
Extreme Cold							



No Impacts



Minimal Impacts



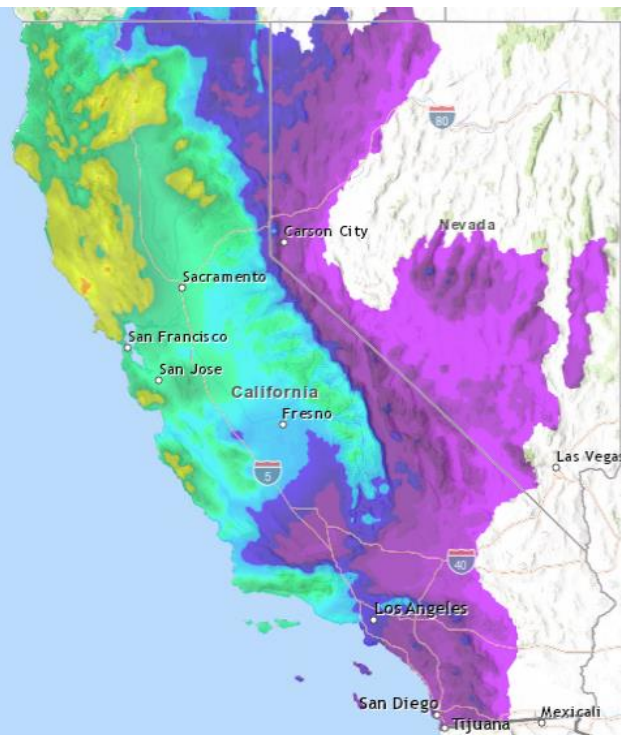
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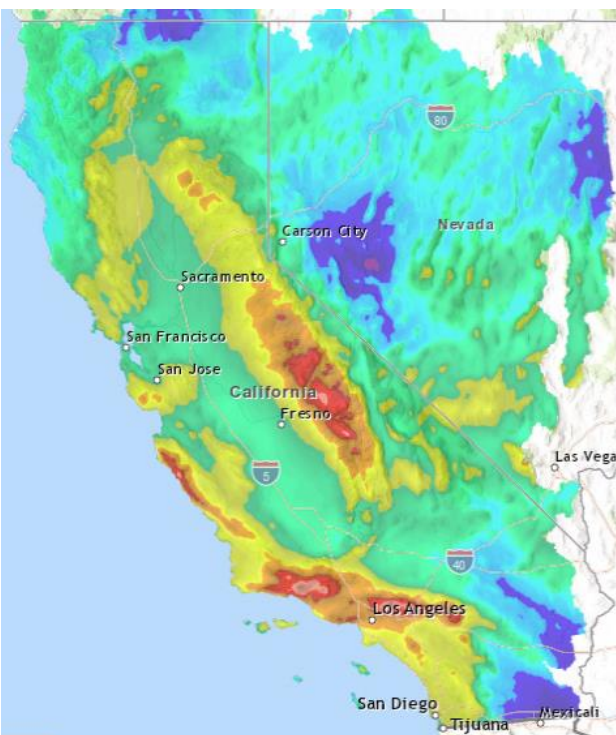
Severe Impacts

PRECIPITATION FORECAST

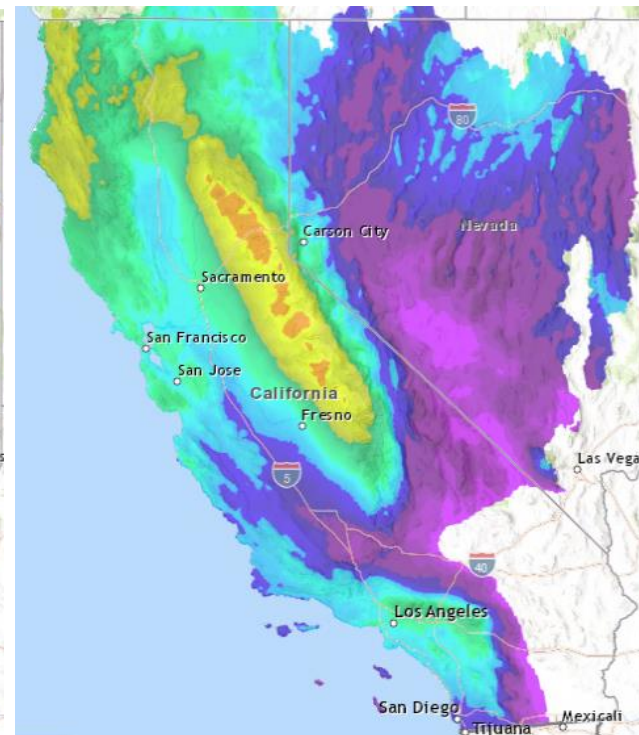
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Friday



Saturday



Sunday

Precipitation (inches)

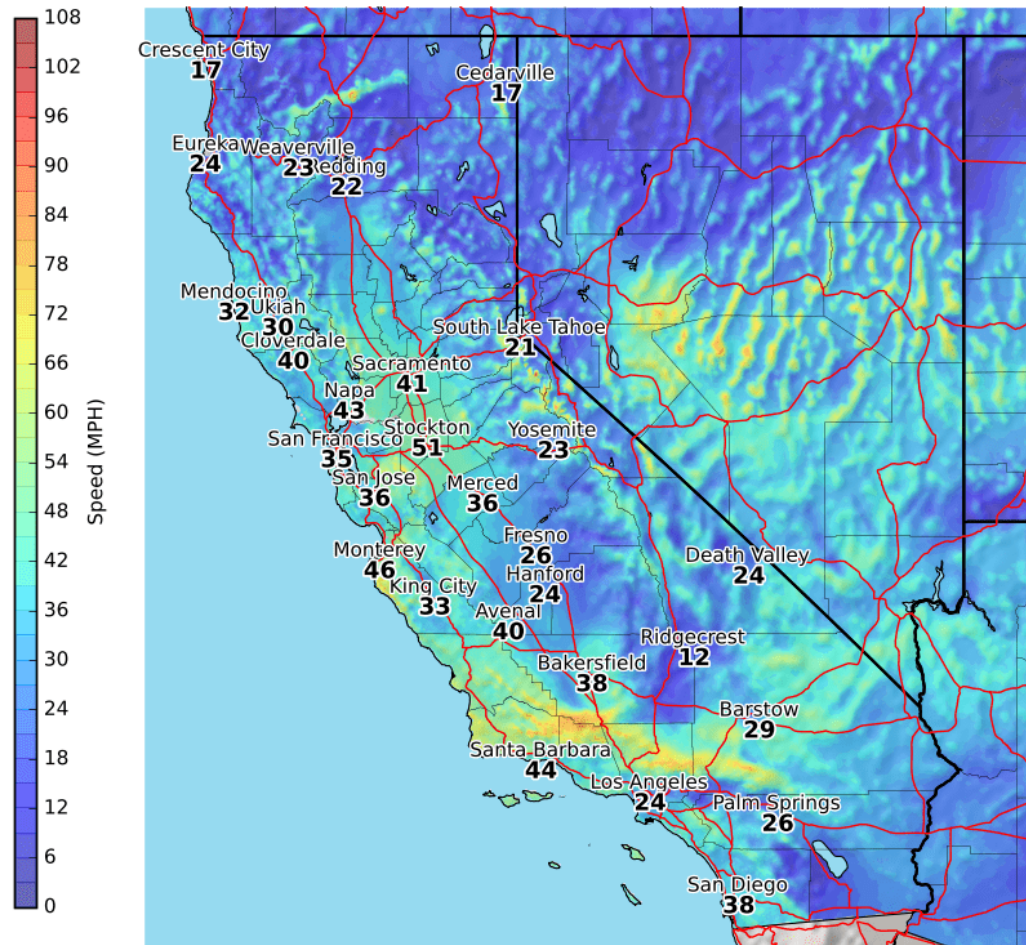


WIND GUSTS FRIDAY NIGHT AND SATURDAY

02/01/19 - 02/02/19

Maximum Wind Gusts

Valid: Friday night/Saturday



National Weather Service
Western Region

02/01/2019 09:49 AM MST

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Strong winds will likely cause downed trees and power outages



FLASH FLOOD WATCHES FOR SATURDAY

02/02/19

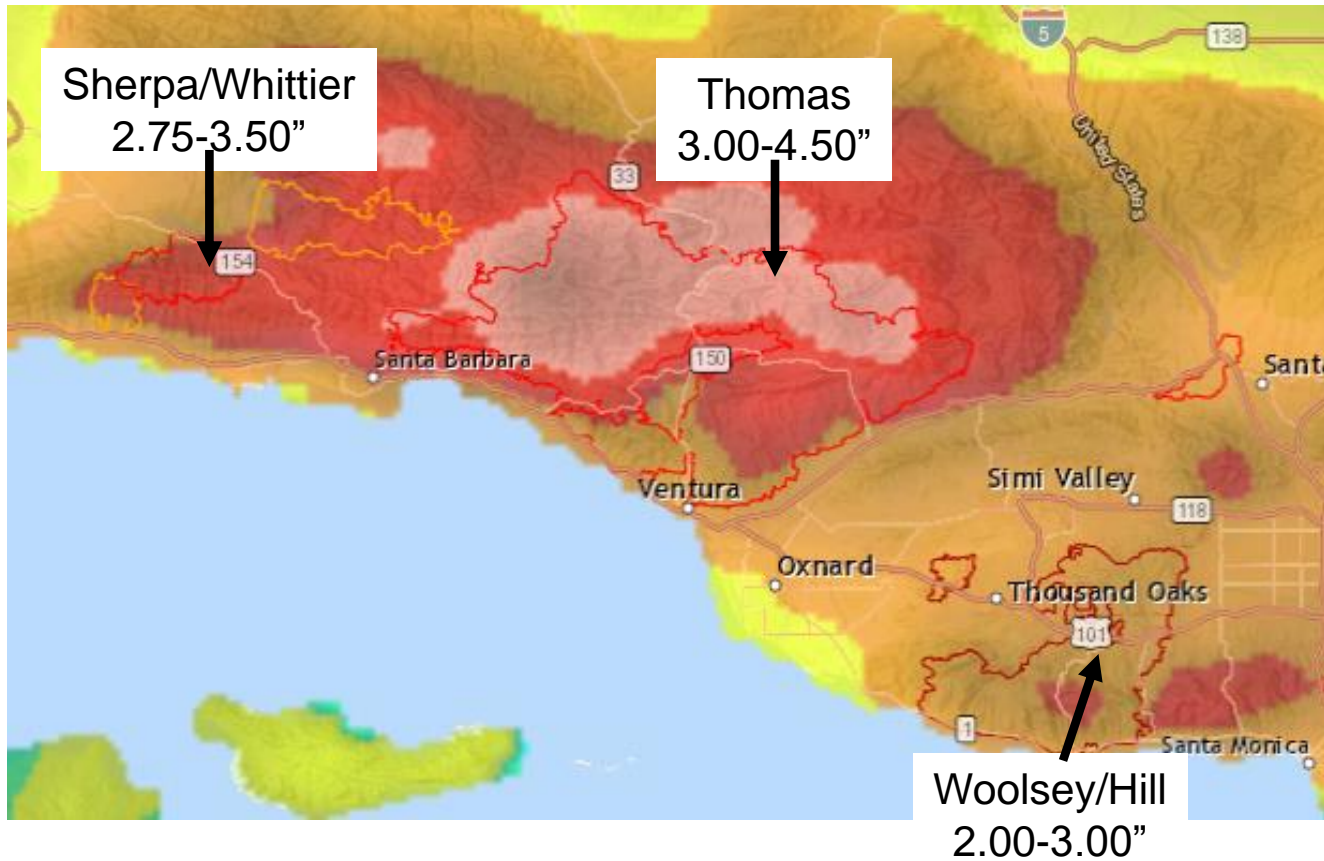
Flash Flood Watches are in place for early Saturday through early Sunday

- While flash flooding and debris flows are possible across much of the state, the highest threat will be in southern California
- Burn scars under a Flash Flood Watch include, but are not limited to:
 - The burn areas in Ventura and Los Angeles counties
 - Thomas Hill, Woolsey, South, Stone, Creek, and La Tuna burn scars
 - Burn scars in Orange, San Diego, Riverside, and San Bernardino counties
 - Holy, Canyon 1, and Cranston burn scars



SATURDAY BURN SCAR PRECIPITATION FORECAST

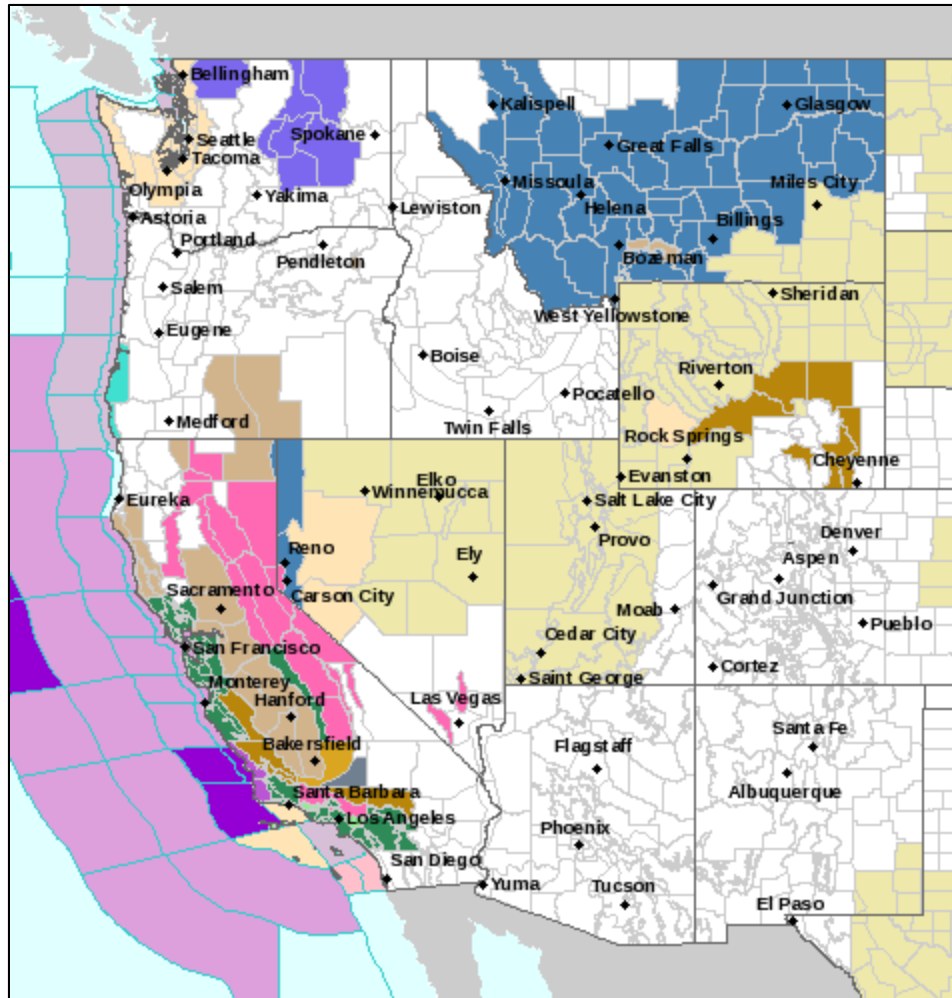
02/02/19



Moderate to heavy rain expected in southern California on Saturday.
Significant threat of flash flooding and debris flows.



WEATHER MAP



Winter Storm Warning		Small Craft Advisory	
High Wind Warning		Hazardous Seas Warning	
Storm Warning		Wind Advisory	
Flash Flood Watch		Avalanche Watch	
Gale Warning		Beach Hazards Statement	
Storm Watch		Gale Watch	
Winter Weather Advisory		Winter Storm Watch	
High Surf Advisory		High Wind Watch	
Dense Fog Advisory		Special Weather Statement	
Small Craft Advisory For Hazardous Seas		Hazardous Weather Outlook	
Small Craft Advisory For Rough Bar		Hydrologic Outlook	
Small Craft Advisory For Winds			



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Cal OES LAW ENFORCEMENT MISSIONS

Ongoing Cal OES Law Missions

- **2019-LAW-57385, 02/01/19, 0200 hours:** Placer County Sheriff's Office requested a helicopter for the immediate extraction of a snow boarder who had been lost and later located by ground searchers (UTM COORDINATES: 732071 4330759). After local air assets were unable to complete the rescue, Placer County Sheriff's Office requested mutual aid via CalOES. CalOES LDO made contact with CNG who advised of an extended departure time. CalOES LDO made contact with the AFRCC and requested more of an immediate response. NAS Lemoore accepted the mission and went in route at 0600 hours. **Mission Ongoing**
- **2019-LAW-57381, 01/31/19, 2120 hours:** Santa Barbara County Sheriff's Office requested the California National Guard's (CNG) assistance by supplying High Water Vehicles (HWV's) for potential flooding concerns in Montecito burn scar areas. CNG accepted the mission and agreed to deploy (5) HWV's which will be scheduled to arrive by 2000 hours on Friday the 1st for strategic positioning ahead of the Saturday morning storm. **Mission Ongoing**
- **2019-LAW-57349, 01/30/19, 1000 hours:** Humboldt County Sheriff's Department (HCSD) is requesting resources to locate the remains of a cold case homicide victim. HCSD is requesting (3) Human Remains Detection (HRD) Search Dog teams. The California Governor's Office of Emergency Services, Law Enforcement Branch is coordinating the search dog response. This search will take place on Wednesday, 02/06/19 at 0800 hrs. **Mission Ongoing**
- **2019-LAW-57339, 01/29/19, 0900 hours:** Riverside County Sheriff's Office requested the California National Guard's (CNG) assistance by supplying High Water Vehicles (HWV's) for potential flooding concerns in burn scar areas. CNG accepted the mission and deployed (4) HWV's which were strategically positioned for immediate response as needed. **Mission Ongoing**

Closed Cal OES Law Missions

- **2019-LAW-57367, 01/31/19, 0810 hours:** El Dorado County Sheriff's Office requested (25) ground searchers for a missing person in the area of Diamond Springs. An 80 year old male subject had not returned home from a walk on 1/30/19 at 1500 hours. CalOES Law Branch made contact with Placer, Nevada, Amador, Alpine and Sacramento County Sheriff Offices who were able to assist in providing the needed resources. At approximately 1630 hours the male subject was located and provided medical aid. All search personnel was released from the incident. **Mission Closed**

Cal OES MISSIONS TASKINGS

Cal OES Missions

- **2018-SOUTHERN-56869:** Communication Support for the Baker to Vegas Challenge Cup Relay XXXIV
- **2018-IREOC-49869:** 2018 July Statewide Wildfires - Debris Management Task Force for Shasta County. (On Scene)
- **2018-CREOC-48046:** 2018-06-23-Lake-Wildland Fire - DTSC to clear debris from Pawnee Fire. (Coordinating)
- **2018-IREOC-45244:** Daily Operations - Caltrans to remove dead and dying trees along highways in Kern, Tulare, Fresno, Madera, Mariposa, Tuolumne, Calaveras, Butte, Plumas, Sierra, Shasta, and Lassen counties. (On Scene - Long-term assignment)
- **2017-INLAND-42559:** Daily Operations - Weather station installed to gather real time rainfall data by Air Resources Control Board (ARB). Mission extended through 05/30/19. (On Scene)



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